# STOCKS, BONDS, GRAIN, COTTON

# **GOLD SHIPMENTS**

Heavy Movement to Paris Gave Only Slight Concession in Prices.

MORE RAILROAD RUMORS

Talk of New Dividend Gave Small Ad ance to Reading Stock.

NEW YORK, June 7.—An active absorption of stocks on a rising scale today was brought almost to a standstill by the unexpectedly heavy engagements of gold for export to Paris tomorrow. Conditions in the exchange market had prepared expectation for additional shipments to-morrow, but so large a sum as \$3,600 000 was a surprise. The movement was the more impressive by reason of the failure of the foreign exchange market to show an effect, as is usual, owing to the custom of selling exchange bills against gold shipments when they are made. The rates to-day, however, were firmly maintained, and it was evident that the outward movement of gold was to extend over into next week.

A feature of the day was the rumor of new railroad relations which came into circulation. Apparently the plan for transfer of control of the Boston and Maine to the New York, New Haven and Hartford gave the impetus to these rumors. Many of them centred about a supposed transfer of control of Delaware and Hudson but none of them received any official sanction. The coalers were all helped by the evidence of prosperous conditions in that trade, Included in the showing was the huge increase in the official sanction. The check to activity which followed the gold export engagements resulted in only slight concessions in prices, and they were lifted to the highest level again late in the day. The closing tone was fairly steady.

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Total sales of stocks to-day were \$23,400 shares.

NEW YORK, June 7.—Money on call easy, 1 3-4@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 2; closing bid, 2; offered at 2. Time loans very dull ard steady, sixty days, 3 1-2@ 3 3-4 per cent.; six months, 4 3-4@5 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5@5 1-2 per cent.; sterling exchange, strong, with actual business in bankers bills at \$4.876@\$4.875 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, \$4.875 for sixty-day bills; posted rates, \$4.875. Commercial bills, 83 5-8. Bar silver, 66 5-8; Mexican dollars, 51 3-8, Government bonds, steady. Railroad bonds, firm.

#### RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., June 7, 1907, SALES AT BOARD. Virginia Centuries-400 at 921/2. STATE SECURITIES. B

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City 25 33

First National 100 215

Merchants National 100 600

National Bank of Va. 100 141

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BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET, BALTIMORE, MD., June 7.—Scaboard Air Line, common and preferred.—Nothing foling.

#### COTTON MARKETS.

NEW YORK, June 7.—There was a very excited advance in July contracts in the cotton market to-day with that position selling shove 12c, for the first time this season, and showing a gain from the low points of the morning of about 23 6,50c, a bale. The close was a little off from the best with the tone stead of the morning of about 23 6,50c, a bale. The close was a little off from the best with the tone stead at the off from the best with the tone stead of the morning of 36 8 points in response to lower cables and a good weather map be little and the market almost interestant of the morning of a decline of half an hour was selling about 9 points in response to lower cables and a good weather map be the market almost interestant of the morning, but in the market almost interestant of the morning, but in the party afternoon July became very some irregularity late in the morning, but in the party afternoon July became very some irregularity late in the morning, but in the party afternoon July became very about 1 and 1 an

## Thomas Branch & Co.

(Established 1838.)

MEMBERS

New York Stock Exchange, New York Cotton Exchange.

Private Wires to Principal Markets.

Investment Securities.

#### OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK.

By Thomas Branch & Co., Bankers and Brokers, | Bid. Asked SALES:
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A Complete Sport to Great Britain, 4,543 bales; export to Great Britain, 4,543 bales; to the Continent, 2,723 bales; to France, 203 bales; to France, 203 bales; to France, 203 bales; to Happen, 165 bales; to Japan, 165 bales; to Jap

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	Choice	3.00	60	4,00
	LEMONS-Per box	4.50	0	6.50
	GRAPEFRUIT-Per box	4.00	0	5,00
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n.	Common, per crate	1.00	0	1.50
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BEETS—Per bunch... 6 @ 6 NEW YORK, June 7.—FLOUR.—Dull and barely steady. Bye Hour-Pirm. Cornmal.—Steady. By Housember, 31.65%. Cornmal. Bye Hour-Pirm. 11.65%. Cornmal. Steady. By Hour-Pirm. 11.65%. Cornmal. Steady. Cornmal. Steady. By Hour-Pirm. 11.65%. By Hour-Pirm. 11.65%. By Hour-Pirm. 11.65%. Fed. By Hour-Pirm. By Hour-Pirm. Book. By Hour-Pirm. B NEW YORK PRODUCE MADIETE

ed Freights and Peanuls—Quiet and unchanged. Potatoes—Firm; new, per barrel, \$363, \$56; old, \$1,75.69,475. Cabbages—Easy and unchanged. Cottonseed Oil was caster under freed offerings and bear pressure. Prime crude, f. b. mills, \$49.0.; prime summer yellow, \$60.0; off summer yellow, \$74,00.0560; prime white and prime winter yellow, \$63,550.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

FAST WIRES.

PRODUCE MARKET commission men have the goods to unusually active meet it.

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2 oats, 44%c; No. 2 white, 47% 048c; No. 3 white, 46%47%c, No. 2 rye, 85c Pair to choice maiting, 12@75c, Flaxseed—No. I northwestern, \$1.31%; prime timothy seed, \$4.15. Clover, centract grades, \$15.25. Short rlbs, sides (loose), \$8.80 @8.80; mess pork, per barrel, \$18.20 @15.10; lard, per 100 younds, \$8.90; short clear sides (boxed), \$8.87% @0.13%. Whiskey, basis of high wines, \$1.31. Receipts—Wheat, 28.000 bushels; corn, \$54.500 bushels; oats, \$180,000 bushels. Butter—Market steay; creameries, \$18.223%c; darles, \$17.021%c, \$Eggs—Steady; at mark, cases included, \$14%c; firsts, \$13%c. prime firsts, \$13%c. Choese—Essy at \$12%.00 13%c.

BALTIMORE, MD., Juno 7.—FLOUR—Quist. Wheat-Firmer; spot, contract, 95c.; wouthern by sample, 88c.; southern on grade, 89@905c. Corn—Firmer; spot, mixed, 60% @ 91%c; No. 2 white, 52% @62%c; white, 62% @62%c;; southern white corn, 50c. Oats—Quist. Ryo—Firm at 80c.4 No. 2 western, domestic, choice, 89c. Hay—Hendy, Butter—Firm and unchanged; fancy initiation, 15c.; fancy creamery. 16% @15%c; store packed, 16%c. Eggs—Steady and unchanged at 17%c. Cheeso—Active and strong, unchanged; large, 15@15%c. Sugar—Unchanged. BALTIMORE, MD., June 7.-FLOUR-

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET. Richmond, Va., June 7, 1997. QUOTATIONS

No. 2 white (car lots).... No. 3 white (car lots)....

Stock Brokers.

Geo. T. King & Co. STOCK

CHICAGO, June 7.—A rumor that the forthcoming Kanasa State crep report will show a condition of slightly above 52 per invited to make our office their headquarters cent., sided by damage reports from the and have mail and wires sent in pur care;

**ONTHE LOCAL MARKETS** 

CATTLE MARKETS. CATLLE MARKETS.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

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RICHMOND, Ve., June 7, 1907.

Prices the week ranged as follows:

Beef cattle, very best, 5% pc%s.; oxtra, 5
pc%c.; sood, 4% g4%c.; medium to fair
guality, 50 g4%c.; common to medium, 2% g
3%c.; bulls, 2% g3%c. Sheep, 4 pc.; spring
lambs, 6%sc. Hogg, 5% pc%c. Calvos,
\$\$ 96%c.; cows, 2 g3%c. Fresh cows, \$20 g
45.00.

to 10@15c, lower. Sheep, \$5.50@7.00; year lings, \$7@7.00; lambs, \$6.50@8.55.

NEW YORK, Jurn 7—BEEVES—Receipts, 2,511 hand. Steers, \$5.25@6.50; bulls, \$3.50@4.00; cows, \$4.25@4.50; west-cern cows and helfers, \$5. Calves—Receipts, 519 hand. Market steady, Veals, \$4.98.75; mixed cattle, \$3.60. Dressed calves steedy to strong. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5.925 head. Sheep, \$4.98.00; no prime sheep here. Culls, \$4.56; yearlings, \$7.50@8.50; harbs, \$10.50@710.2; one car choice, \$10.37%, Ings—Receipts, 3.344 head. Good, heavy and medium hogs, \$10.75@0.80.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabs & Co.)

PETERSBURG, VA., June 7.—PEANUTS:
Spanish—Market strong at \$1,37% per bushel,
Virginies—Market steady at 4%,64%c, for
fancy stock; ranchine picked, 3,33%c,; shelling stock, 2%,33%c.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, June 7.—The retail trade in dry goods was better to-day owing to warmer weather, but conditions have forced a retrenchment in expenses and the discharge of several employes in mane large houses. The primary cotton goods market holds firm and active within the limits possible when goods are scarce, Samples of new cilp wools are arriving. Fancy serges will be opened next week. The jobbing trade for the day was more active. DRY GOODS MARKET.

NAVAL STORIES.

WILMINGTON, N. C., June 7.—SPIRITS
TURPENTINE—Nothing doing, Rosin—
Pirm at 15.06 bid: receipts, 444 barreis, Tary—Pirm at 12.40; receipts, 53 barrels, Crude
Turpentine—Quoted at \$4.75@5.25; receipts
65 barreis.

Turpentine—Quoted at \$4.75@b.20; receipts 65 barrels, 68 barrels, 68 rate, 68 rate, 68 rate, 69 rate, 69 rate, 70 rate, 70 barrels; 1.078 casks; shipments, 698 casks; Rosin—Firm; sate, 2,941 barrels; receipt 2.212 barrels; shipments, 787 barrels; stock, 47,523 barrels.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF RICHMOND, JUNE 7, 1907.

ARRIVED,

Bleamer Hrandon, Harnby, Norfolk, merchandles and passengers, Old Dominion Line,

Bleamer Pocahonias, Graves, Norfolk and
James River Isandinas, morchandise and passpeakers, Virginia Navigation Company,

Bleamer Baratoga, Bewell's Point, passengers.

chandles and passengers, Old Dominion Line, Stemer Lursy, Tunnell, Norfolk and James River landings, merchandles and passengers, Virginia Navigation Company, Schooner H. B. Spedden, Kennard, Nanse-mond River, coll. Schooner William Oliver, Neal, James ltiver, light.
Barge Warwick, Karchen, Bermuda Hun-dred, light.

## Stocks and Bonds.

The improvement noticeable in the stock market for the past two days has been especially pleasing to the k 1244 | Richmond contingent, all of whom are 1905 | 1904 | Richmond contingent, all of whom are 2006 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 1905 | 190 Richmond contingent, all of whom are

There has been noticeable some slight improvement in the bond market, but there is still room for improvement, and bondholders, too, must exercise patience. On both the bond and the stock market yesterday there was a conservative bullish feeling.

It is not expected that to-day's bank statement will be favorable, as bank statements usually go, for the export of gold this week has led to quite a heavy loss in cash. However, the bulls have already discounted this, and it is not likely that the reading of the statement will lead to any losses in the prices of stocks or bonds.

Improvement in Crop Conditions, and Good Feeling Generally. NEW YORK, June 7.—Bradstreet's

NEW YORK, to-morrow will say; to-more currents in trade and crop

NEW YORK, June 7.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say:
Cross currents in trade and crop conditions prevent generalization. There has been a further light improvement in crop conditions, due to slightly higher temperatures. West and South and a cessation of rain in the cotton belt. This has made for a more optimistic feeling as to uitimate yields and future trade in the sections enjoying even a small share of seasonable weather, but the great majority of cities, and particularly those in the castern half of the country, complain of continued slow retail trade and collections.

Reports as to fall trade are quite satisfactory, a reflection possibly of the fact that retail stocks were well cleaned up last winter. Crop uncertainties, and the fact that reorder business this spring has been particularly absent in many lines, however, induce conservatism as to future offering, and there is less disposition to embark freely in future commitments until the situation becomes clearer.

Pig fron markets are very quiet, bit furnaces are sold so far shead that producers are not uneasy over the absence of business. New business in steel rails is of moderate proportions.

Week's Bank Clearings.

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NEW YORK, June 7.—Bank clearings, \$3,039,828,000 for the week, against \$2,156,068,000 last week and \$2,947,385,000 last year.

Richmond, \$6,141,000; decrease, 6.8.
Savananh; \$2,950,000; decrease, 19.8.
Atlanta \$4,294,502; increase, 24.3.
Augusta, \$1,147,000; decrease, 24.3.
Augusta, \$1,147,000; increase, 24.8.
Knoxville, \$1,686,000; increase, 21.8.
Charleston, \$1,158,000; decrease, 3.
Jacksonville, \$1,298,000; decrease.

Judge Prentis Away. Judge R. R. Prentis, the new chairman of the State Corporation Commission, is spending a few days at his home in Suffolk. He will return to the city Monday morning.

## SPECIAL EXCURSIONS

C. & O.

Virginia Day Round \$1.50 Trip.

Special Trains Leave Richmond 7 A. M. and 8 A. M.

**GEORGIA DAY** Address By President Roosevelt.

Grand parade of U. S. sailors and soldiors. West Point Cadeta, V. P. I., V. M. I., Richmond Blues and other companies Salutes by the combined navies of the world. Brilliant Illuminations of the battleships at night. To be seen only via C. & O. route.

Returning, leave Exposition (Pine Boach Pier) 4:30 P. M. and 9 P. M.

Georgia Day June 10th.

Virginia Day

June 12th.

Financial.

No. 8666.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY,
Washington D. C., April 29, 1907.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that the "NATIONAL STATE BANK OF RICH-MOND," in the City of Richmond, in the County of Henrico, and State of Virginia, has compiled with all the previsions of the Statues of the United States, required to be compiled with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;

Now therefore I, William B, Ridgely, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that the

## **National State Bank**

of Richmond,

in the City of Richmond, in the County of Henrico, and State of Virginia, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in section fifty-one hundred and sixty-nine of the Levised Statutes of the United

Conversion of The State Bank of Virginia.

In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this twenty-ninth day of April, 1907. (Signed)

## Banking Service That Meets Capital and Surplus Every Requirement

\$1,600,000.00

This Bank has achieved a reputation for constantly exerting every effort to meet the requirements of its depositors, irrespective of the extent of their deposits. Business men, professional men, wage-earners—persons in every walk of life—are invited to become its customers.

The First National Bank

## CANADIANS FOR VIRGINIA FARMS

Dr. Henry Smith Will Go to Do minion to Turn Emigrants in This Direction.

DIRECTOR FOR NEW STATION

Professor Butterfield to Have Charge of Agricultural Experiments for State.

Hon. J. H. C. Beverley, representing

the committee of the Board of Agricul ture and Immigration having the in terests of that body in charge as to experimental station near Norfolk, re-turned from that city yesterday en turned from that city yesterday en route to his home. Mr. Beverley stated that Professor Butterfield, of the United States Department of Agriculture, had been appointed director of the station. Everything is now in readiness for the work to commence, and the truckers of the Eastern section are very much pleased at the completion of all arrangements necessary for the conduct of the station.

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President C. W. Heater, of the board, who is also a member of the Norfolk Experiment Station committee, was unable to attend. Mr. Heater, while attending the recent meeting of the board of the V. P. I., sustained an injury to his hand, which assumed such a serious nature that a physician advise dhim to return to his home, though he was on his way to Norfolk.

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The board of directory of the V. P. I. was represented at the Norfolk meeting by Dr. J. M. McBryde and Dr. J. Thompson Brown; the Southern Produce Exchange by Messrs. J. T. Griffin and W. B. Kearney and the United States Department of Agriculture by Dr. Corbitt and Dr. Orton.

Exposition

Monday, June 10th,

Georgia Day

AND

Wednesday, June 12th,
Virginia Day

Virginia Day

Mune 10th

Monday, June 12th,

Wire by Dr. Corblit and Dr. Orton.

Canada Agent Named.

As it required only the presence of two other members of the board (besides Mr. Scott, who resides near Richmond), in order to have a meeting of the executive committee of that body, it was decided at the request of Hon.

A. O. Mauck, of Norfolk, to hold a short a short session of the latter committee in Richmond in order to bring up some matters in connection with the immigration work. Mr. Mauck came up with the station committee from Norfolk, and with two other members of the executive committee, Messrs. Eggborn executive committee. Messrs. Eggborn

executive committee, Messrs. Eggborn and Scott, the body was in position to act, four out of the five members being present.

As Canada is one of the very best fields in which the immigration work is being conducted, and offers exceptional opportunities for efforts along this line, it was decided to send at once an agent to the Dominion to represent the board, and Dr. Henry Smith of Norfolk, was appointed to act in this once an agont to the Dominion to represent the board, and Dr. Henry Smith of Norfolk, was appointed to act in this capacity. Dr. Smith knows the Canadian country thoroughly, and is equally familiar with Virginia, so that he is in overy way qualified for the work with which he has been entrusted. The session of the committee was very short, but the important nature of this branch of the immigration work justified the meeting, as it is quite certain Dr. Smith's labors in Canada will yield good results during the short time he will be there. Of course, the action of the committee will be approved by the board, the former being empowered to adopt measure of this nature, when the amount involved would not justify a meeting of the entire board.

The board holds its regular quarter-

board.

The board holds its regular quarterly meeting after the return of Commissioner Koiner from Europe. The secretary of the board stated that he had received from Mr. Koiner a letter in which the latter said that he would reach home on the 1st day of July.

## Daily Court Record

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Law and Equity Court.
In the case of Elizabeth K. Leary's executors vs. Clemens Jones, a motion for judgment for \$5,000, alleged to be due on a note, was docketed. The death of the sum named.

A suit for absolute divorce was instituted by S. J. Paschall vs. W. T. Paschall.

In the case of the Commonwealth

James River Bandings, merchandies, and passensers, Virginia Navigation Company, fleamer Haratoga, Sowell's Point, passengers.

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## Newspaper Tributes.

On the demise of the late Henry Clay Payne, a concern in New York gathered from the papers published throughout the United States 4,685 newspaper stories of the life and career of the deceased.

These items were carefully mounted on Irish linen leaves and bound in six volumes, 400 pages to the book. A cover of genuine seal was appropri-ately lettered in gold and the entire material, representing the work of many people for several months, has just been delivered to Mrs. Payne at Milwaukee.

Mr. Burrelle, who makes a specialty of this unique method of preserving family history, also compiled four volumes containing the letters, telegrams and cards of condolence received by the family, all constituting a family heirloom that will be handed down to future gene-

rations. This work is one of the several developments of the press clipping industry, and Mr. Burrelle has made a special study of the work he created several years ago.





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